

## Message Text

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INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 CIAE-00 DODE-00 PM-05 H-01 INR-10  
L-03 NSAE-00 NSC-05 PA-01 SP-02 SS-15 ICA-11  
OMB-01 AID-05 EB-08 COME-00 TRSE-00 AGRE-00 /079 W  
-----113374 171400Z /45  
R 161458Z MAY 78  
FM AMEMBASSY CAIRO  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 9190

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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: EAGR, PGOV, PINT, EG  
SUBJ: "GREEN REVOLUTION" COMMITTEE ESTABLISHED

REF: CAIRO 12693

1. CAIRO RADIO RECENTLY ANNOUNCED ESTABLISHMENT OF  
CABINET-LEVEL COMMITTEE RESPONSIBLE FOR  
CARRYING OUT GREEN REVOLUTION HEADED BY PM SALEM WITH AD-  
DITIONAL MEMBERSHIP OF MINISTERS MIN LAND RECLAMATION  
SHOUKRI AND MIN RECONSTRUCTION AND NEW COMMUNITIES  
EL KAFRAWI. LOCAL PRESS MAY 16 REPORTED THAT MINISTERS  
SHOUKRI AND EL KAFRAWI LEFT FOR NEW VALLEY ON FIVE-DAY  
TRIP IN CONNECTION WITH COMMITTEE RESPONSIBILITIES.

2. COMMENT: THREE-MAN COMMITTEE APPARENTLY IS ONE  
ESTABLISHED IN ADDITION TO THOSE MINISTERIAL COMMITTEES  
ANNOUNCED AT FIRST SESSION OF NEW CABINET (REFTEL).  
LIMITED, HIGH-LEVEL MEMBERSHIP INDICATES IMPORTANCE  
GOE NOW PLACING ON FURTHERANCE OF PRESIDENT'S GREEN  
REVOLUTION INITIATIVE. AT QUESTION STILL IS ROLE OF ARAB  
CONTRACTORS CHAIRMAN (AND FORMER MIN RECONSTRUCTION AND  
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HOUSING) OSMAN, WHO AS RECENTLY AS MAY 14 WAS CITED BY  
PRESIDENT AS PERSON RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL NEW AREA LAND  
RECLAMATION. DESIGNATION OF OSMAN IN THIS CAPACITY  
HAS NOT, HOWEVER, BEEN FORMALIZED BY GOE IN, FOR EXAMPLE,  
PRESIDENTIAL DECREE. PRESUMABLY HE IS LOOKED UPON BY  
PRESIDENT AS PERSONAL UNOFFICIAL EXPEDITER IN THIS AREA  
OF CONCERN. EILTS

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## Message Attributes

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